

THE HANGMAN'S FEAST.

**PREPARING TO HANG TEN MOLL
MAGUIRE MURDERERS.**

MAUGH CHUNG, Pa., June 11

The scaffold on which the condemned Mr. Maguire will be hanged was erected to-day that some necessary alterations might be so that all of the men could be hanged at the same time, the structure having been originally built for two. The sheriff is overrun with applications from persons who wish to witness the execution. Mrs. Kelly bade her son good-bye yesterday. The unfortunate woman faints at the door of the cell. Mrs. Campbell saw her husband for the last time to-day. The prisoners occupy their time in reading religious books and listening to the counsel

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KNIVES AND PISTOLS.

A pistol shot sounded on Pennsylvania avenue, near Twelfth street, about 11 o'clock last night, and in a few minutes about a dozen people collected in the neighborhood. The crowd wanted to know what the matter was, and the police and the crowd came, a young man named "Bob" Connell was making his way toward Entwistle's drug store, corner of Twelfth street, to have his arm dressed. There was considerable mystery about the affair, and three fourths of the crowd left without any idea of what had taken place. The fact that the case, so far as could be gleaned from the crowd were "around" when the shot was fired are as follows:

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Twelfth street. There was a row, and one produced a knife and slashed. Connell received a severe stab on the arm, just below the elbow. A pistol was fired. Those present said that Bob Connell fired the shot. He drew the pistol and in the air. This brought the police, but they got there every trace of the row removed except Connell's bloody arm. Pistols or knives were found. Connell was Entwistle's drug store, where his arm was dressed. He would not "squel," and no

There were others who were cut, who were not going to the drug store. These were George Mantz, Johnny Rooney, and Patey McNeil. None of them were cut seriously. The history of the cutting has not yet been solved. It was whispered along the square on which the cutting was done that George Mantz and George was the only one who was in the

While the crowd was gathered about the twice's drug store, another little affair occurred which increased the excitement. George Mantz was in the crowd with a pressing around the store, when Mr. Dunningan ordered him back. Mantz was

words followed. The result was that the officer grabbed hold of Mante to arrest him, cursing. Mante has a reputation as a "bad customer," and he did not tamely submit to the arrest. He hauled back and gave the officer two or three blows from the baton on the head. Then they clinched. Mante, his friends and other officers crowded upon Duniung was thrown to the ground. Mante wrested his baton from him. He was hit, with the baton, he defied the officers and time.

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George Mantz is known to be reckless and crowd prudently scattered and left the fight to fight it out. Mantz gave himself up to Leach, but did not give up the station which he had captured until he reached station. Officer Dunnigan, who had received quite a severe blow on the head, pronounced the charge of assault and battery a

AN OLD MANON DEAD.

Arrangements for the Funeral of the
Jonathan Moody Smith.

The funeral of the late Jonathan
Smith will take place from Masonic Hall
this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and will
be attended by Mithras Lodge of Perfection,
No. 107 N. Y. St.,

French Lodge, No. 15, F. A. A. M.; Pike Consistory, No. 1, S. P. R. S. and gelician Chapter, Rose Croix, No. 1. Mr. Grand Commander of the A. A. Scottie will preside. The funeral ceremonies conducted in the Rose Croix degree.

Mr. Smith was the oldest Mason in the I having been a member in good standing for thirty years, and he sustained the

second degree. He had been a clerk in the Treasury Department for twenty-four years and was universally respected for his ability and probity of character, as well as efficiency as a clerk while in the employ of the General Government. The funeral will be one of the largest and most in the city since the death of the Hon. B. B. French.

Gen. B. F. Butler's Lecture.

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Four of Whom are to be Executed at Mauch Chunk and Six Others at Pottsville To-Morrow—Last Interviews With Their Relatives by Telegram to THE REPUBLICAN.
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any necessary alterations might be made so that all of the men could be hanged at one time, the structure having been originally built for two. The sheriff is overrun with applications from persons who wish to witness the execution. Mrs. Kelly bade her son good-bye yesterday. The unfortunate was escorted at the door of the cell. Mrs. Campbell saw her husband for the last time to-day.

They seemed entirely resigned to their fate. The Eastern Grays arrived this evening, and more troops are expected to-morrow. They will remain here until after the execution, in order to prevent disturbances of any kind. It is understood that at the request of J. M. Smith, the U. S. Marshal, they be de-

At Pottsville several of the wives and relatives of the condemned Mollie Magness, who is to die at the gallows to-day, Mrs. Roddry, wife of the Yost murderers, broke down completely, and almost went into convulsions. Her husband endeavored to present a brave front but failed, and cried like a child. The parting was most affecting, the unfortunate wife crying "Good-bye, James, I have

Duffy's father, brother and the latter's two children called to say farewell to the entire party went in a most piteous manner. The father of Carroll, another of the "lost murderers," called to see his son, and an interview is reported by the warden to have been a most affecting one. Carroll wrote letters to his wife and children to-day telling them not to call upon him again, as he could not bear it. To-morrow will be the last day of his day and week, his relatives of the

It is expected that an immense crowd will be present in town during hanging although not a glimpse of the gold can be obtained from the outside of jail, and but a limited number of people are allowed to see the execution. Fears of disturbance are expressed by some, but general belief is that the Mollies are too completely broken down to attempt any work.

KNIVES AND PISTOLS.
A lively time on Pennsylvania Avenue. A pistol-shot sounded on Pennsylvania avenue, near Twelfth street, about 11 o'clock last night, and in a few minutes about a thousand people collected in the neighborhood. They wanted to know what the matter was. When the police and the crowd came, a young man named "Bob" Connell was making his way westward. He had a knife in his pocket, and a pistol in his hand.

There was a party of men, some of whom were noted for their desperate character, on the south side of Pennsylvania avenue, near Twelfth street. There was a row, and

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to fight it out. Mantz gave himself up to Sergeant Loech, but did not give up until he was locked up in the cell in which he had captured until he reached station. Officer Dunnigan, who had received quite a severe blow on the head, pressed the charge of assault and battery against Mantz. Dunnigan said that others in the crowd besides Mantz struck him. Mantz was locked up for the night, and will be tried in the Police Court this morning.

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The Cases of Somerville and Engle
TRENTON, N. J., June 19.—In the State Circuit Court today, Judge Cadwalder presiding, ex-Judge A. J. Dittler, counsel for Somerville and Engle, charged against United States stock certificates, in-

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